

# ESPRIT ORCHESTRA

2010-2011  
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## NEW WAVE COMPOSERS FESTIVAL

MAY 12 - 30, 2011

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# THURSDAY MAY 12

## CHERCHER NOISE

*Esprit - Wild & Wired*

*at the Drake Hotel Lounge & Underground*

Alex Pauk, Music Director & Conductor

Wallace Halladay - Saxaphones (with electronics)

Stephen Clarke— piano and prepared piano

Esprit Percussion Section — ( with voices sometimes amplified)

Mark Duggan, Daniel Morphy, Adam Campbell, David Schotzko,  
Ed Reifel, Tim Francom

Cybernetic Orchestra from McMaster University (laptop plus ensemble)

- David Ogborn, Director

### PROGRAMME

8 pm      **In The Lounge**

Akira Nishimura	<i>Kecak</i>	(1979)
Erik Ross	<i>Mr. Bumble Meets His Maker</i>	(2010)
	World Premiere - Wallace Halladay—Saxes	
Akira Nishimura	<i>Kecak</i>	(1979)

9 pm      **In The Underground**

David Ogborn	<i>Seventy</i>	(2011)
	Cybernetic Orchestra Michael Shultz, marimba	
Claude Vivier	<i>Shiraz</i>	(1977)
	Stephen Clarke, piano	
Erik Ross	<i>Mr. Bumble Meets His Maker</i>	(2010)
	Wallace Halladay—Saxes	
Ashkan Behzadi	 for percussion quartet	(2009)
David Ogborn	<i>Programme réduit</i>	(2011)
	Cybernetic Orchestra	
Elisha Denburg	<i>Sleepwalking</i>	(2011)
	percussion quartet	
John Cage	<i>Amores</i>	(1943)
	Stephen Clarke, piano	
Jimmie LeBlanc	<i>Chercher Noise</i>	(2009)
	For baritone saxophone and electronics	
David Ogborn	<i>Cybernetic Orchestra</i>	(2011)
	Improvisation with Nintendo Wiinote games controllers and other devices	

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Tickets \$20

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**FRIDAY MAY 13**

## RISING STARS CONCERT

Esprit  
Orchestra

In conjunction with the Canadian League of Composers  
Esprit Chamber Ensemble  
Alex Pauk, Music Director & Conductor  
The Fleck Dance Theatre  
3rd Floor Queen's Quay Terminal  
Harbourfront Centre

8 pm Concert

**SUNDAY MAY 15**



## MUSICAL OFFERINGS

7:15 pm Pre-concert Talk

with Composers Alexina Louie,  
Chris Paul Harman, Denis Gougeon  
and Alex Pauk

8:00 pm Concert

### PROGRAMME

Matthew Ricketts (2009)	<i>In What Language?</i>
Zosha Di Castri (2010)	<i>Cortège</i>
Farshid Samandari * (2010, revised 2011)	<i>coming home</i>

\* Winner of the Canadian League of Composers & Canadian University Music Society Composers Competition

Intermission

Anthony Tan (2009, revised 2010)	<i>Quixotic...</i>
John Rea** (2004)	<i>Accident: Tombeau de Grisey</i>

\*\* Winner of the Canadian League of Composers 60th Anniversary Members Composition Competition

The Canadian League of Composers invites you to a reception with the composers in the lobby following this evening's concert to celebrate the League's 60th Anniversary.

### PROGRAMME

Alex Pauk	<i>Portals of Intent</i>	(1994)
Sofia Gubaidulina	<i>Offertorium</i> (for violin and orchestra)	(1966)
Intermission	Marie Bérard, Violin	
Join us in the lobby for our 2011-12 Season Launch Announcement and for our Patron Appreciation reception		
Canadian Music Centre Emerging Toronto Composer Award Presentations		
Nick Storring	Nick Storring - Winner	
Nick Storring	Adam Sherkin— Honourable Mention	
Denis Gougeon	"remember how we used to...?" (2004)	
Chris Paul Harman	<i>Phénix</i>	(1988)
Burt Bacharach	<i>Coyote Soul</i> (world premiere) (2011)	
	<i>Close to You</i> (arr. Chris Paul Harman (1963)	

**FREE ADMISSION**

**Tickets: \$15- \$43**

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